



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date: 22 July 2006

In re the Application of:
Ricardo Alonso, Pro Se
Serial No. 10/797,396
Filed: 09-MAR-2004
For: Magnetism to Control Compressive Friction Checks For Rods
Including Those of Door Closers

ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIRED UNDER MPEP § 809.02(a);
AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.115

Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Official Office Action mailing date 26-May-2006, the Applicant respectfully requests the following Election of Species under MPEP § 809.02(a), and that the following amendments be entered to the provisions of 37 CFR §1.115 and reconsideration.

Kindly permit the attached Exhibits 1-3 for record to better understand the invention.

Kindly substitute the specification and abstract filed 09-MAR-2004 as per the marked-copy in accordance with MPEP §601.01(q).

Amendments in the Claims:

Kindly cancel the claims 5-16 and substitute the following claims 17-28 submitted herewith: